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MEMORANDUM FOR:

Chairman, Committee on Imagery Requirements

and Exploitation (COMIREX)

SUBJECT:

Digital Imagery Symposium

1. The proposal by the Exploitation Research and Development Subcommittee (EXRAND) of COMIREX to staff a second National Digital Imagery Processing and Exploitation Symposium with sponsorship by the Intelligence Research and Development Council is accepted. The conducting of a second symposium, I believe, will serve to continue the flow of information between users, collectors, processors, and imagery technologists on the many faceted dimensions of digital imagery processing and exploitation. (S)

2. I suggest that the symposium be held some time in the fall, and so that early planning may commence. I recommend that a Symposium Steering Group be established. I have asked of the Council staff, who can be reached at to be the Council's representative to the Steering Group. I ask that the Steering Group insure that the agenda (selection of topics, session chairmen and speakers) be a collaborative effort between the IR&DC, COMIREX and EXRAND and that the symposium encompass current digital imagery processing and exploitation developments ongoing within the various branches of the Federal Government and within industry and academia. (S)

R. D. DeLauer Chairman

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